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In response to the conversation with Janet A. Hasak, February 9, 2000, the following reference, Oncogene Science Catalog, pages 18 and 35, 1992 is enclosed. This reference was missing from the office action mailed 12/08/1999. The 3 month shortened statutory period for response will begin on the mail date of this paper.

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